



Blue Jeans Blanket

Gather up all of your worn out or outgrown pairs of blue jeans and recycle them into a sturdy throw, perfect for picnics!

This project works up quickly, and using ready-made, pre-packaged bias binding really cuts down on the time needed to make the throw.



Finished Size: 48 x 60 inches

Materials Needed:

- 4-5 pairs of adult-sized jeans (if using child-sized jeans, each leg width needs to be a minimum of 7 inches)
- blue all-purpose sewing thread in blue and tan
- 5 yards tan extra wide double fold bias tape

Step 1 - Cut the squares

Cut the leg off the pants 2 inches below the pockets. Open the side seam to lay the leg fabric flat.

Cut 80 squares measuring 6.5 x 6.5 inches.



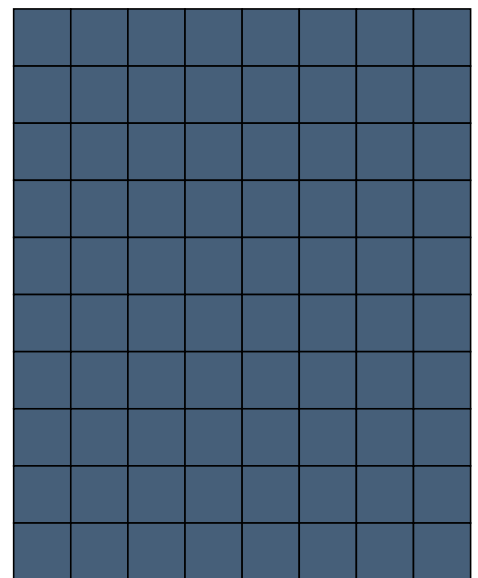
8 squares for one row

Step 2 - Assemble the Throw

Stitch 8 of the squares together, to make a row, having the wrong sides together (the seams will be on the right side of the finished throw), using a 1/4 inch seam allowance.

Make 10 of these rows.

Stitch the 10 rows together, stitching them with their wrong sides facing.



10 rows stitch together

Step 3 - Bind the Edges

To complete the throw, bind the edges with the double fold bias tape.



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